

## Message Text

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ACTION DLOS-09

INFO OCT-01 EA-10 ISO-00 FEA-01 ACDA-07 AGRE-00 AID-05  
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FM AMEMBASSY PORT MORESBY  
TO AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 2549  
AMEMBASSY CANBERRA  
AMEMBASSY SUVA  
AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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FOR RFA TOKYO

EO 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIS EAID

SUBJ: PROPOSED SOUTH PACIFIC FISHING AGENCY

REF: WELLINGTON 03553

1. PETER WILSON, DIRECTOR OF FISHERIES, GPNG, AND GEOFFREY DABB, LEGAL ADVISOR TO DFAT ON LOS MATTERS, BELIEVE PURPOSE OF SUBJECT REGIONAL BODY "TO PROMOTE HARMONIOUS USE OF REGIONAL RESOURCES, PARTICULARLY MIGRATORY SPECIES." THEY VIEW SUCH AN AGENCY AS COORDINATING FISHING POLICY OF COASTAL FISHING STATES WITH REGARD TO LARGE FISHING NATIONS. PNG VIEW IS THAT SUCH AN AGENCY WOULD HELP DEVELOP A COMMON POLICY BUT WOULD NOT BE INVOLVED IN ACTUAL NEGOTIATIONS WHICH WOULD BE LEFT TO INDIVIDUAL STATES.

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2. DABB WENT OUT OF HIS WAY TO EMPHASIZE US SHOULD BE EXCLUDED FROM SUCH AN AGENCY SINCE US VIEWS ON FISHING OF MIGRATORY SPECIES WERE DIAMETRICALLY OPPOSED TO PURPOSE OF SUCH AN AGENCY.

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## Message Attributes

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